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SUBJECT: CIVAIR, LIGHT AIRCRAFT ACCIDENT

REF: 10 FAM 521.6

1. CROP-SPRAYING AIRCRAFT OPERATED BY MARATHON AVIATION,
ON LEASE FROM AVIA SPRAY OF CYPRUS, CRASHED ON JUNE 5 IN
EASTERN PELOPONNESUS DURING SPRAYING OPERATIONS. EMBASSY HAS
BEEN ABLE TO DEVELOP FOLLOWING INFORMATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH
REFERENCED INSTRUCTIONS.

A. AIRCRAFT WAS CESSNA C-185, CYPRIOT REGISTRATION MARKS SB-CCS.

B. OWNED BY AVIA SPRAY OF CYPRUS, LEASED BY GREEK COMPANY
MARATHON AVIATION, WHICH HAS CONTRACT WITH GREEK MINISTRY
OF AGRICULTURE FOR SPRAYING OF OLIVE GROVES.

C. ACCIDENT OCCURED AT 0950 HOURS LOCAL ON JUNE 5 DURING
SPRAYING OPERATIONS.

D. AIRCRAFT TOOK OFF FROM ARGOS

E. AIRCRAFT CRASHED IN A HILLY AREA 5 KILOMETERS FROM DIMENA
VILLAGE IN THE NEA EPIDAVROS AREA, EAST PELOPONNESUS.

F. ACCORDING TO HCAA, NONE OF THE FOUR PERSONS ABOARD WAS INJURED.

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G. REPORTEDLY THE AIRCRAFT HIT THE CREST OF A HILL,
CRASHED AND CAUGHT FIRE.

H. ACCIDENT IS BEING INVESTIGATED BY HELLENIC CIVIL AVIATION
AUTHORITY EXPERTS.

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